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Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder**

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 01/01/19 AND ENDING 12/31/19  
MM/DD/YY MM/DD/YY

**A. REGISTRANT IDENTIFICATION**

NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: **EP Securities, LLC**

ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)

**275 Madison Ave., 33rd Floor**

OFFICIAL USE ONLY
FIRM I.D. NO.

(No. and Street)

**New York**

**NY**

**10016**

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF PERSON TO CONTACT IN REGARD TO THIS REPORT

(Area Code - Telephone Number)

**B. ACCOUNTANT IDENTIFICATION**

INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT whose opinion is contained in this Report\*

**Goldman & Company, CPAs, P.C.**

(Name - if individual, state last, first, middle name)

**3535 Roswell Rd., Ste 32**

**Marietta**

**GA**

**30062**

(Address)

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

**CHECK ONE:**

☒ **Certified Public Accountant**

☐ **Public Accountant**

☐ **Accountant not resident in United States or any of its possessions.**

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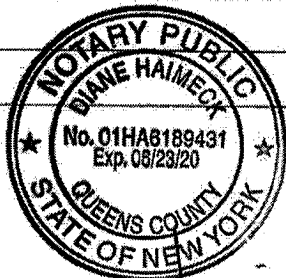
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## OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Edward Soh, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of EP Securities, LLC, as of December 31, 2019, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:



Gofe  
Signature

President  
Title

Diane Haimeck 2/11/20  
Notary Public

This report \*\* contains (check all applicable boxes):

- ☒ (a) Facing Page.
- ☒ (b) Statement of Financial Condition.
- ☒ (c) Statement of Income (Loss) or, if there is other comprehensive income in the period(s) presented, a Statement of Comprehensive Income (as defined in §210.1-02 of Regulation S-X).
- ☒ (d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.
- ☒ (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or Partners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital.
- ☐ (f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to Claims of Creditors.
- ☒ (g) Computation of Net Capital.
- ☐ (h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3.
- ☒ (j) A Reconciliation, including appropriate explanation of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the Computation for Determination of the Reserve Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
- ☐ (k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of consolidation.
- ☒ (l) An Oath or Affirmation.
- ☒ (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.
- ☐ (n) A report describing any material inadequacies found to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

**\*\*For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).**

**EP SECURITIES, LLC**  
(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
DECEMBER 31, 2019  
AND REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

**EP SECURITIES, LLC**  
(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Member of  
EP Securities, LLC

**Opinion on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of EP Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2019, the related statements of operations, changes in member's equity and cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2019 and the related notes and schedules 1, 2 and 3 (collectively referred to as the "financial statements"). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of EP Securities, LLC as of December 31, 2019, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the period then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

**Basis for Opinion**

These financial statements are the responsibility of EP Securities, LLC's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on EP Securities, LLC's financial statements based on our audit. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) ("PCAOB") and are required to be independent with respect to the company in accordance with the U.S. Federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. Our audit included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audit also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

**Auditor's Report on Supplemental Information**

The Schedule's 1- Computation of Net Capital Under SEC Rule 15c3-1, Schedule 2-Computation for Determination of Reserve Requirements Pursuant to SEC Rule 15c3-3 (exemption) and Schedule 3- Information Relating to Possession or Control Requirements Pursuant to SEC Rule 15c3-3 (exemption) have been subjected to audit procedures performed in conjunction with the audit of EP Securities, LLC's financial statements. The supplemental information is the responsibility of EP Securities, LLC's management. Our audit procedures included determining whether the supplemental information reconciles to the financial statements or the underlying accounting and other records, as applicable, and performing procedures to test the completeness and accuracy of the information presented in the supplemental information. In forming our opinion on the supplemental information, we evaluated whether the supplemental information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with 17 C.F.R. §240.17a-5. In our opinion, the schedule's 1, 2, and 3 are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

*Goldman & Company CPA's P.C.*

We have served as the Company's auditor since 2015.

Goldman & Company, CPA's, P.C.  
Marietta, Georgia  
February 15, 2020

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# EP SECURITIES, LLC

(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2019

### ASSETS

<b>ASSETS</b>	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 160,835
Prepaid expenses	3,842
Accounts receivable	17,000
Total current assets	181,677
<b>OTHER ASSETS</b>	
Fixed assets, net of accumulated depreciation of \$42,486	4,969
Lease deposits	59,734
Operating right of use	1,844,373
Total other assets	1,909,076
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 2,090,753</b>

### LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

<b>LIABILITIES</b>	
Accrued expenses	\$ 36,080
Operating lease liability	\$ 214,669
Total liabilities	250,749
<b>LONG TERM LIABILITIES</b>	
Operating lease liability	1,629,704
Total long term liabilities	1,629,704
<b>MEMBERS' EQUITY</b>	
	210,300
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY</b>	<b>\$ 2,090,753</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**EP SECURITIES, LLC**  
(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

**STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS**  
**FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019**

<b>REVENUE</b>	
Advisory fees	\$ 3,631,936
Total revenue	<u>3,631,936</u>
<b>OPERATING EXPENSES</b>	
Payroll	866,567
Rent	215,491
Travel	156,049
Legal and professional fees	66,242
Computer and technology	57,804
Business development	48,736
Taxes, licenses and regulatory fees	113,752
Insurance	30,579
Meals and entertainment	27,205
Telephone	40,752
Occupancy	22,740
Depreciation	4,305
Office	10,697
Bank service charges	3,136
Utilities	4,372
Total operating expenses	<u>1,668,427</u>
Net operating income	<u>1,963,509</u>
<b>OTHER INCOME</b>	
Rental income	57,446
Interest income	17
Total other income	<u>57,463</u>
<b>NET INCOME</b>	<u>\$ 2,020,972</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**EP SECURITIES, LLC**  
(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN MEMBERS' EQUITY  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019**

<b>MEMBERS' EQUITY, JANUARY 1</b>	<b>\$ 205,033</b>
Net income	2,020,972
Distributions to members	(2,015,705)
<b>MEMBERS' EQUITY, DECEMBER 31</b>	<b>\$ 210,300</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.



# EP SECURITIES, LLC

(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

## STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019

<b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES:</b>	
Net income	\$ 2,020,972
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities	
Depreciation expense	4,305
Increase in accounts receivable	(7,000)
Increase in accrued expenses	1,120
Net cash provided by operating activities	2,019,397
<b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES:</b>	
Distributions to members	(2,015,705)
Net cash used in financing activities	(2,015,705)
<b>NET INCREASE IN CASH</b>	<b>3,692</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	<b>157,143</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 160,835</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**EP SECURITIES, LLC**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
December 31, 2019

**1. ORGANIZATION AND NATURE OF BUSINESS**

EP Securities, LLC ("we", "our", or the "Company") is registered as a broker-dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. ("FINRA"). The Company received its approval for membership on March 16, 2010. The Company earns advisory fee income for merger and acquisitions and capital-raising consulting.

Since the Company is a New York limited liability company ("LLC"), the Members are not liable for the debts, obligations or liabilities of the Company, whether arising in contract, tort or otherwise, unless the Members have signed a specific guarantee.

**2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

Basis of Accounting

The Company maintains its books and records on the accrual basis of accounting for financial reporting purposes, which is in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, which is required by the SEC and FINRA.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company defines cash equivalents as highly liquid investments with original maturity dates of less than ninety days that are not held for sale in the ordinary course of business.

The Company maintains its cash in a bank deposit account which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and management believes it is not subjected to any significant credit risk.

Revenue Recognition

On January 1, 2018, the Company adopted ASU 2014-09 Revenue from Contracts with Customers and all subsequent amendments to the ASU (collectively, "ASC 606"), which creates a single framework for recognizing revenue from contracts with customers that fall within its scope.

Revenue is measured based on a consideration specified in a contract with a customer. The Company recognizes revenue when it satisfies a performance obligation by transferring control over goods or service to a customer. Services within the scope of ASC 606 include investment banking M&A advisory fees. These services include agreements to provide advisory services to customers for which they charge the customers fees. The Company provides advisory

services/corporate finance activity including mergers and acquisitions, reorganizations, tender offers, leveraged buyouts, fundraising activity and the pricing of securities to be issued.

The agreement contains nonrefundable retainer fees or success fees, which may be fixed or represent a percentage of value that the customer receives if and when the corporate finance activity is completed ("success fees"). In some cases, there is also an "announcement fee" that is calculated on the date that a transaction is announced based on the price included in the underlying sale agreement. The retainer fees, announcement fee, or other milestone fees reduce any success fee subsequently invoiced and received upon the completion of the corporate finance activity. The Company has evaluated its nonrefundable retainer payments, to ensure its fee relates to the transfer of a good or service, as a distinct performance obligation, in exchange for the retainer. If a promised good or service is not distinct, the Company combines that good or service with other promised goods or services until it identifies a bundle of goods or services that is distinct. In some cases, that would result in the broker-dealer accounting for all services promised in a contract as a single performance obligation and the retainer revenue is classified as deferred revenue on the Statement of Financial Condition.

#### Accounts receivable

Accounts receivable are uncollateralized customer obligations due under normal trade terms generally requiring payment within 30 days from the invoice date. Accounts receivable are stated at the amount management expects to collect from outstanding balances. At December 31, 2019 management considers all accounts receivable to be fully collectible, therefore no allowance for uncollectible amounts is necessary.

#### Fixed Assets

Fixed assets include furniture, fixtures and leasehold improvements and are stated at cost. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets (five to seven years). The Company follows the policy of capitalizing all major additions, renewals and betterments. Minor replacements, maintenance, and repairs are expensed as incurred. Depreciation expense for 2019 was \$4,305.

#### Income Taxes

The Company is a limited liability company taxed as a partnership for income tax reporting purposes and as such, is not subject to income tax. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes is provided in the financial statements.

The Company has adopted the provisions of FASB Accounting Standards Codification 740-10, Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes. Under FASB ASC 740-10, the Company is required to evaluate each of its tax positions to determine if they are more likely than not to be sustained if the taxing authority examines the respective position. The Company has evaluated its tax positions and has determined that it has no uncertain tax positions for which a provision or liability for income taxes is necessary.

#### Leases

The Company recognizes and measures its leases in accordance with FASB ASC 842, Leases. The Company is a lessee in a noncancellable operating lease, for office space. The Company determines if an arrangement is a lease, or contains a lease, at inception of a contract and when the terms of an existing contract are changed. The Company recognizes a lease liability and a right of use (ROU) asset at the commencement date of the lease. The lease liability is initially and

subsequently recognized based on the present value of its future lease payments. Variable payments are included in the future lease payments when those variable payments depend on an index or a rate. The discount rate is the implicit rate if it is readily determinable or otherwise the Company uses its incremental borrowing rate. The implicit rates of our leases are not readily determinable and accordingly, we use our incremental borrowing rate based on the information available at the commencement date for all leases. The Company's incremental borrowing rate for a lease is the rate of interest it would have to pay on a collateralized basis to borrow an amount equal to the lease payments under similar terms and in a similar economic environment. The ROU asset is subsequently measured throughout the lease term at the amount of the remeasured lease liability (i.e., present value of the remaining lease payments), plus unamortized initial direct costs, plus (minus) any prepaid (accrued) lease payments, less the unamortized balance of lease incentives received, and any impairment recognized. Lease cost for lease payments is recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

### 3. LEASE COMMITMENTS

On November 5, 2018, the Company signed a lease amendment on its original lease for a new ten year lease agreement for its main office that commenced in December 2018 on the 33rd floor of 275 Madison Avenue. During 2019, the Company paid \$215,491 in rent expense. The terms of the ten year lease are (i) base rent of \$18,609 per month for the period commencing on the Commencement Date through November 30, 2019, and (ii) \$19,684 per month for the period December 1, 2019 through November 30, 2020 and then (iii) an annual increase of 2.5% through the expiration of the lease agreement in June of the year 2029. The Company estimates future rent expense using the straight-line method and estimates the below expense per year through the lease term.

The Company has obligations as a lessee for office space with initial noncancellable terms in excess of one year. The Company classified these leases as operating leases. These leases generally contain a renewal options for 10 years. Because the Company is reasonably certain to exercise these renewal options, the optional periods are included in determining the lease term, and associated payments under these renewal options are from lease payments. The Company's leases do not include termination options for either party to the lease or restrictive financial or other covenants. Payments due under the lease contracts include fixed payments. The Company's office space leases require it to make variable payments for the Company's proportionate share of the building's property taxes, insurance, and common area maintenance. These variable lease payments are not included in lease payments used to determine lease liability and are recognized as variable costs when incurred.

The components of lease cost for the year ended December 31, 2019 are as follows:

Operating lease cost	\$215,491
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Amounts reported in the Statement of Financial Condition as of December 31, 2019 were as follows:

#### Operating leases:

Operating lease ROU assets	\$1,844,373
Operating lease liabilities	\$1,844,373

Other information related to leases as of December 31, 2019 was as follows:

Supplemental cash flow information:

Cash paid for amounts included in the measurement of lease liabilities:

Operating cash flow from operating leases \$215,491

ROU assets obtained in exchange for lease obligations:

Operating leases \$213,695

Reductions to ROU assets resulting from reductions to lease obligations:

Operating leases \$(1,796)

Weighted average remaining lease term:

Operating leases 9.5 years

Weighted average discount rate:

Operating leases 5%

Amounts disclosed for ROU assets obtained in exchange for lease obligations and reductions to ROU assets resulting from reductions to lease obligations include amounts added to or reduced from the carrying amount of ROU assets resulting from new leases, lease modifications or reassessments.

Year Ending December 31

	2020	\$236,706
	2021	\$242,624
	2022	\$248,689
	2023	\$254,907
	2024	\$261,279
	2025	\$267,811
	2026	\$274,507
	2027	\$281,369
	2028	\$288,403
	2029 (partial)	\$147,499
<b>Total Undiscounted Lease Payments</b>		<b>\$2,503,795</b>
<b>Less Effect of Discounts</b>		<b>(\$659,421)</b>
<b>Lease Liability</b>		<b>\$1,844,374</b>

**4. NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS**

The Company is subject to the SEC Uniform Net Capital Rule (SEC Rule 15c3-1), which requires the maintenance of minimum net capital and requires that the ratio of aggregate indebtedness to net capital, both as defined, shall not exceed 15 to 1. At December 31, 2019, the Company had net capital of \$124,755 which was \$119,755 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital was 28.92%.

## **5. MANAGEMENT'S REVIEW**

Subsequent events were evaluated through February 15, 2020, the date the financial statements were issued. The Company did not identify any material subsequent events requiring disclosure in its financial statements.

## **6. CONCENTRATION RISKS**

Commission revenues earned from the largest customer of the Company's accounted for 31.1% of commission revenue in 2019.

## **7. RENTAL INCOME**

On March 26, 2019 the Company entered into an office sublease agreement for a term of 24 months at \$5,000 per month. The Company derived \$57,446 of rent income in 2019.

## **8. OTHER NOTES**

The Company is evaluating new accounting standards and will implement as required.

# EP SECURITIES, LLC

(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

## COMPUTATION OF NET CAPITAL UNDER RULE 15c3-1 OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2019

SCHEDULE I	
<b>TOTAL MEMBERS' EQUITY QUALIFIED FOR NET CAPITAL</b>	<b>\$ 210,300</b>
<b>DEDUCTIONS AND/OR CHARGES:</b>	
Non-allowable assets:	
Accounts receivable	(17,000)
Prepaid expenses	(3,842)
Fixed assets, net	(4,969)
Lease deposits	(59,734)
<b>NET CAPITAL</b>	<b>\$ 124,755</b>
<b>AGGREGATE INDEBTEDNESS -</b>	
Accrued expenses and security deposits payable	36,080
Total aggregate indebtedness	<b>\$ 36,080</b>
<b>COMPUTATION OF BASIC NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENT -</b>	
Minimum net capital required	<b>\$ 5,000</b>
Excess net capital	<b>119,755</b>
Minimum capital requirement per Rule 15c3-1 is the greater of 6 2/3% of aggregate indebtedness or \$5,000	<b>5,000</b>
Percentage of aggregate indebtedness to net capital	<b>28.92%</b>

There is no material difference in the above computation and the Company's net capital, as reported in the Company's Part IIA (unaudited) Focus report as of December 31, 2019.

**EP SECURITIES, LLC**  
(A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY)

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December 31, 2019

**SCHEDULE II**

**COMPUTATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RESERVE REQUIREMENTS UNDER  
RULE 15c3-3 OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Security Exchange Act of 1934 pursuant to paragraph (k)(2)(i) of the rule. The Company does not hold funds or securities for, or owe money or securities to, customers.

**SCHEDULE III**

**INFORMATION RELATING TO THE POSSESSION OR CONTROL REQUIREMENTS  
UNDER RULE 15c3-3 OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

The Company is exempt from the provisions of Rule 15c3-3 under the Security Exchange Act of 1934 pursuant to paragraph (k)(2)(i) of the rule. The Company did not maintain possession or control of any customer funds or securities.



REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Members of  
EP Securities, LLC

We have reviewed management's statements, included in the accompanying EP Securities, LLC's Annual Exemption Report, in which (1) EP Securities, LLC identified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R. §15c3-3(k) under which EP Securities, LLC claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R. §240.15c3-3: k(2)(i) (the "exemption provisions") and (2) EP Securities, LLC stated that EP Securities, LLC met the identified exemption provisions throughout the most recent fiscal year without exception. EP Securities, LLC's management is responsible for compliance with the exemption provisions and its statements.

Our review was conducted in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) and, accordingly, included inquiries and other required procedures to obtain evidence about EP Securities, LLC's compliance with the exemption provisions. A review is substantially less in scope than an examination, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion on management's statements. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to management's statements referred to above for them to be fairly stated, in all material respects, based on the provisions set forth in paragraph (k)(2)(i) of Rule 15c3-3 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

*Goldman & Company, CPA's, P.C.*

Goldman & Company, CPA's, P.C.  
Marietta, GA  
February 15, 2020

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## **EP SECURITIES, LLC**

### **EXEMPTION REPORT**

**YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019**

We, as members of management of EP Securities, LLC (the "Company") are responsible for complying with 17 C.F.R §240.17a-5, "Reports to be made by certain brokers and dealers". We have performed an evaluation of the Company's compliance with the requirements of 17 C.F.R §240.17a-5 and the exemption provisions in 17 C.F.R §240.15c3-3(k) (the "exemption provisions"). Based on this evaluation we make the following statements to the best knowledge and belief of the Company:

1. We identified the following provisions of 17 C.F.R §15c3-3(k) under which the Company claimed an exemption from 17 C.F.R §240.15c3-3: (k)(2)(i).
2. We met the identified exemption provisions throughout the most recent fiscal year ended December 31, 2019 without exception.

The Company is exempt from the provisions of 17 C.F.R §240.15c3-3 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (pursuant to paragraph (k)(2)(i) of such Rule) as the Company carries no margin accounts and does not hold funds or securities for, or owe money or securities to, customers.

EP SECURITIES, LLC

Edward Soh  
President

Date February 6, 2020

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM ON  
APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES


To the Members of  
EP Securities, LLC

We have performed the procedures included in Rule 17a-5(e)(4) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and in the Securities Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) Series 600 Rules, which are enumerated below and were agreed to by EP Securities LLC, and the SIPC, solely to assist you and SIPC in evaluating EP Securities, LLC's compliance with the applicable instructions of the General Assessment Reconciliation (Form SIPC-7) for the year ended December 31, 2019. EP Securities LLC's management is responsible for its Form SIPC-7 and for its compliance with those requirements. This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with standards established by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) and in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in this report. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose. The procedures we performed and our findings are as follows:

- 1) Compared the listed assessment payments in Form SIPC-7 with respective cash disbursement records entries, noting no differences;
- 2) Compared the Total Revenue amounts reported on the Annual Audited Report Form X-17A-5 Part III for the year ended December 31, 2019 with the Total Revenue amount reported in Form SIPC-7 for the year ended December 31, 2019, noting no differences;
- 3) Compared any adjustments reported in Form SIPC-7 with supporting schedules and working papers, noting no differences;
- 4) Recalculated the arithmetical accuracy of the calculations reflected in Form SIPC-7 and in the related schedules and working papers supporting the adjustments, noting no differences; and
- 5) Compared the amount of any overpayment applied to the current assessment with the Form SIPC-7 on which it was originally computed, noting no differences.

We were not engaged to and did not conduct an examination or review, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion or conclusion, respectively, on EP Securities LLC's compliance with the applicable instructions of the Form SIPC-7 for the year ended December 31, 2019. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion or conclusion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of EP Securities, LLC and the SIPC and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

  
Goldman & Company, CPA's, P.C.  
Marietta, Georgia  
February 15, 2020

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**SIPC-7**

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**SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION**P.O. Box 92185 Washington, D.C. 20090-2185  
202-371-8300**General Assessment Reconciliation****SIPC-7**

(36-REV 12/18)

For the fiscal year ended 12/31/19  
(Read carefully the instructions in your Working Copy before completing this Form)**TO BE FILED BY ALL SIPC MEMBERS WITH FISCAL YEAR ENDINGS**

1. Name of Member, address, Designated Examining Authority, 1934 Act registration no. and month in which fiscal year ends for purposes of the audit requirement of SEC Rule 17a-5.

EP Securities, LLC

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New York, NY 10016

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Name and telephone number of person to contact respecting this form.

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2. A. General Assessment (item 2e from page 2)

\$5,447.90

B. Less payment made with SIPC-6 filed (exclude interest)

(2,209.50)

Date Paid

C. Less prior overpayment applied

D. Assessment balance due or (overpayment)

3,238.40

E. Interest computed on late payment (see instruction E) for \_\_\_\_\_ days at 20% per annum

F. Total assessment balance and interest due (or overpayment carried forward)

3,238.40

G. PAYMENT: ☒ the boxCheck mailed to P.O. Box ☐ Funds Wired ☐ ACH ☐

Total (must be same as F above)

H. Overpayment carried forward

\$

3. Subsidiaries (S) and predecessors (P) included in this form (give name and 1934 Act registration number):

The SIPC member submitting this form and the person by whom it is executed represent thereby that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete.

EP Securities, LLC

(Name of Corporation, Partnership or other organization)

*[Signature]*

(Authorized Signature)

President

(Title)

Dated the 10 day of February, 2020.

This form and the assessment payment is due 60 days after the end of the fiscal year. Retain the Working Copy of this form for a period of not less than 6 years, the latest 2 years in an easily accessible place.

**SIPC REVIEWER**

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Exceptions:

Disposition of exceptions:

**DETERMINATION OF "SIPC NET OPERATING REVENUES"  
AND GENERAL ASSESSMENT**

Amounts for the fiscal period  
beginning 1/1/19  
and ending 12/31/19

Item No.

2a. Total revenue (FOCUS Line 12/PART IIA Line 9, Code 4030)

Eliminate cents

\$3,689,399

2b. Additions:

- (1) Total revenues from the securities business of subsidiaries (except foreign subsidiaries) and predecessors not included above.
- (2) Net loss from principal transactions in securities in trading accounts.
- (3) Net loss from principal transactions in commodities in trading accounts.
- (4) Interest and dividend expense deducted in determining item 2a.
- (5) Net loss from management of or participation in the underwriting or distribution of securities.
- (6) Expenses other than advertising, printing, registration fees and legal fees deducted in determining net profit from management of or participation in underwriting or distribution of securities.
- (7) Net loss from securities in investment accounts.

Total additions

2c. Deductions:

- (1) Revenues from the distribution of shares of a registered open end investment company or unit investment trust, from the sale of variable annuities, from the business of insurance, from investment advisory services rendered to registered investment companies or insurance company separate accounts, and from transactions in security futures products.
- (2) Revenues from commodity transactions.
- (3) Commissions, floor brokerage and clearance paid to other SIPC members in connection with securities transactions.
- (4) Reimbursements for postage in connection with proxy solicitation.
- (5) Net gain from securities in investment accounts.
- (6) 100% of commissions and markups earned from transactions in (i) certificates of deposit and (ii) Treasury bills, bankers acceptances or commercial paper that mature nine months or less from issuance date.
- (7) Direct expenses of printing advertising and legal fees incurred in connection with other revenue related to the securities business (revenue defined by Section 16(9)(L) of the Act).
- (8) Other revenue not related either directly or indirectly to the securities business.  
(See instruction Q).

**Rental income and interest income**

(Deductions in excess of \$100,000 require documentation)

57,463

- (9) (i) Total interest and dividend expense (FOCUS Line 22/PART IIA Line 13, Code 4075 plus line 2b(4) above) but not in excess of total interest and dividend income.

\$

- (ii) 40% of margin interest earned on customers securities accounts (40% of FOCUS line 5, Code 3900).

\$

Enter the greater of line (i) or (ii)

Total deductions

57,463

2d. SIPC Net Operating Revenues

\$3,631,936

2e. General Assessment @ .0015

\$5,447.90

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